

SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

November 12, 2024

Check-in and Registration began at 9:30 a.m.

Meeting location: Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 33501 Stonehill Drive,
Dana Point, CA

Called to Order at 10:00 a.m. by Jeanette Brooks, President.

Jeanette welcomed members and guests to the meeting and wished a happy birthday to all the members with November birthdays.

The next board meeting is November 19th at the Seaside Villas Clubhouse in Dana Point

Jeanette pointed out the locations of exits, restrooms and refreshments. Jeanette asked everyone to silence their cell phones.

Jeanette reminded members that if they are contacted by her or a gift card or money that it is a scam.

Jeanette reminded everyone to wear their name tags. She also suggested introducing yourself to new members or by sitting by someone new at a workshop.

Mary Mulcahey asked for volunteers to be on the Nominating Committee. The volunteers are Charlotte Runyan, Denise Riley, Nancy Ota, Maggie Bell, Debbie Myers, Nancy Pestal.

Jeanette announced that we are discussing having a New Members Tea in January. We would like a current member to buddy up with a new member to join us in introducing our new members. If you would like to help with the tea – please contact Jeanette.

Also, if you are making Christmas ornaments – consider making a couple of extra ones for Sherri Peltier and Julie Kemmerer for next year's NovFest boutique.

Jeanette is also looking for someone to run NovFest 2025.

There were 90 current members, and 4 guests in attendance, bringing it to a total attendance of 94. We currently have 191 members.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. SUNSHINE & SHADOWS: Sharon Whelan welcomed a new grandson; Becky McDaniel's daughter had a second grandson and Joann Bishop welcomed a great grandson.
- b. Mary Mulcahey's Bylaw review committee has met. Mary is currently in Italy.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

MONTHLY MINI: Judy Nunn & Katy Lillie. This month there is a wonderful quilt made by Vickie Janis.

PHILANTHROPY: Linda Chiu and Nancy Pestal showed a parade of Philanthropy quilts. All members are invited to join the Philanthropy group Wednesday, November 20th, at the Center for Spiritual Living in San Clemente from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

KNX 97.10 chose Surfside Quilters Guild to be Hero of the Week. The segment will be aired the week of Thanksgiving.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH: There is no block for January. The finished tops are due at the May meeting.

RETREAT: Michelle Howe – The Fall retreat was October 21-23.

Elizabeth Geer – Road to California – January 24th – Bus Trip. About 25 have signed up so far.

Programs: 48% of the guilds in the State only budget \$2-# thousand for programs annually. Surfside budgets \$12k. Surfside offers a lot to our guild members.

1st VP Programs: November – Pam Hadfield; December – Give Back. We are working with myowncaseoc.com to pack bags for the many foster children in Orange County. Members can either buy items on the needs list or donate money to be spent to buy supplies. Bring Christmas Quilts and share Christmas traditions

SCCQG is designing a quilt top with all the member guilds adding an 8” block with their guild’s logo. Mary Arter has completed this assignment for our guild. Please look for this quilt top when you go to Road this year.

WORKSHOPS: Mary Arter presented:

November: Pam Hadfield “All Around the Neighborhood”.

December: No workshop.

January: Kristie Naranjo “Scrappy Applique”.

February: Joanna Figuora – a new way to pineapple.

March – Jean Impey – Faces

Susy Nash – January for a private workshop with about 10-12 members. It will be held at the Seaside Villas Clubhouse.

Raffle tickets are available for the Workshop drawing.

PROGRAM: Pam Hadfield

Jeanette introduced Pam Hadfield's wonderful trunk show.

Jeanette announced the break.

Show and Tell: Hiroko and Charlotte – Halloween is in the House

DRAWING WINNERS:

Hospitality: Holly Betz

Monthly Mini: Quilt made by Vickie Janis – Dawn Johnson

Door Prizes: Jeanette Brooks, Diane Brewer, Judy Nunn.

Workshop drawing: Jeanette Brooks

Jeanette thanked the volunteers, pianists, members, and guests who attended.

The next meeting will be on December 10, 2024.

Members reminded to clean up, turn on phones.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janis Toman, Secretary